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Clark, et al.

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## PETITION FOR FILING ON BEHALF OF NON-BIGNING INVENTOR UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 CFR §1.47(a) for the filing of a patent application on behalf of a non-signing inventor. The available ioint inventors make oath or declaration, in the enclosed declaration, on their own behalf under 37 CFR 1.63 and make oath or declaration on behalf befa non-signing joint inventor under 37 CFR 1.47(a). As such, the oath for declaration is signed by all of the available joint inventors with the line for the signature of the non-signing inventor left blank, indicating that all of the non-signing joint inventors sign on behalf of the nonsigning inventor (MPEP 409.03(a)(A)). The non-signing inventor, Dr. Joseph E. Dunn, 7108 Red Barn Road, Crystal Lake, IL 60012, refuses to sign the \_declaration.

This petition is accompanied by:

- (X) A Statement of Facts in Support of Filing on Behalf of Nonsigning Inventor (37 CFR 1.47(a))
- (X) The Petition Fee of \$130 (37 CFR 1.17(i))

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in respect to this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment for this petition be enclosed, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. \$6-1135. This sheet is filed in duplicate.

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